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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, OCTOBER 18, 2000

APPLICATION OF

KMC TELECOM V OF VIRGINIA, INC.

CASE NO. PUC000163

For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange telecommunications services

FINAL ORDER

On June 8, 2000, KMC Telecom V of Virginia, Inc. ("KMC V" or "Applicant"), filed an application for certificates of public convenience and necessity ("certificates") with the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia. On September 15, 2000, KMC V amended the application to request local exchange authority only.

By Order dated June 20, 2000, the Commission directed the Applicant to provide notice to the public of its application, directed the Commission Staff to conduct an investigation and file a Staff Report, and scheduled a public hearing to receive evidence relevant to KMC V's application.

On September 26, 2000, the Staff filed its Report finding that KMC V's application was in compliance with the Rules Governing the Offering of Local Exchange Telephone Service

("Local Rules"), as codified in 20 VAC 5-400-180. Based upon its review of KMC V's application and audited financial statements, the Staff determined it would be appropriate to grant a local exchange certificate to KMC V subject to the condition that at such time as voice services are initiated by the Applicant, KMC V shall comply with all requirements of § C (Conditions for certification) of the Local Rules.

A hearing was conducted on October 10, 2000, at which time KMC V filed all proofs of publication and service as required by the June 20, 2000, Scheduling Order. At the hearing, the application and accompanying attachments and the Staff Report were entered into the record without objection. KMC V agreed to the condition contained in the Staff Report.

Having considered the application and the Staff Report, the Commission finds that KMC V should be granted a certificate to provide local exchange telecommunications services throughout Virginia.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) KMC Telecom V of Virginia, Inc., is hereby granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity, No. T-513, to provide local exchange telecommunications services subject to the restrictions set forth in the Local Rules, § 56-265.4:4 of the Code of Virginia, and the provisions of this Order.

- (2) KMC V shall provide tariffs to the Division of Communications that conform with all applicable Commission rules and regulations.
- (3) At such time as voice services are initiated by the Applicant, KMC V shall comply with all requirements of § C (Conditions for certification) of the Local Rules.
- (4) There being nothing further to come before the Commission, this case shall be dismissed and the papers herein placed in the file for ended causes.